



Sudbury School Committee At-A-Glance

December 2023

WHO WE ARE:

The **Sudbury School Committee** consists of five publicly elected members

Silvia Nerssessian, Chair

Meredith Gerson, Vice-Chair

Nicole Burnard

Mandy Sim

Sarah Troiano

WHAT WE DO:

4 Primary areas of responsibility

1. Establishing and reviewing **POLICIES** of the District
2. Approving and monitoring the school **BUDGET**
3. Oversight of the **SUPERINTENDENT**
4. Employer of Record for **COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENTS**

KEY DECISIONS OVER THE LAST SIX MONTHS

- Created and approved the Sudbury School Committee [Goals](#) for 2023-2024
- Approved the fiscal FY25 Budget; this is one of the most vital responsibilities of the Committee
- Approved the 2023-2024 [School Calendar](#)
- Approved the following Sudbury Public Schools warrant articles that passed at Fall Town Meeting:
 - Article 11: Nixon Elementary School Roof Schematic Design Fees
 - Article 12: Increase to FY2024 Sudbury Public Schools General Fund Appropriation for Additional Chapter 70 State Aid
- Approved Superintendent Brad Crozier's contract for the term of July 1, 2024 - June 30th, 2029
- Approved 108 updates to the Sudbury School policies to align with Massachusetts Association of School Committees and Massachusetts General Law
- Accepted gifts from the following:
 - Play Sudbury for a new gaga pit with an estimated value of \$2,200 for the Curtis Outdoor Health and Wellness Space
 - Loring PTO donation to commission two murals in the amount of \$12,500
- Approved SPS Family Handbook for FY24
- FY23 End of Year Budget Review; approved the recommended transfers for the close of FY23
- Approved FY24 Revised Budget
- Approved letters of support for Town/School ADA transition Plan to the Massachusetts Office of Disability (MOD) for the following:
 - Accessible Pathways to Athletic Fields, Egresses, Accessible bench and picnic seating areas on the grounds of Town and PreK-8 Schools
 - Accessible Water Fountain Installations in Town and PreK-8 Schools
 - Assisted Listening Devices in Town and PreK-8 School meeting rooms and auditoriums
- Authorized trip for all 8th grade students to Washington D.C. in support of the Commonwealth's revised civics based humanities curriculum

- Appointed Superintendent to the Board of Directors of the ACCEPT and CASE Collaboratives
- Approved FY24 Federal and State Entitlement Grants

WHAT'S AHEAD

- Evaluate and vote on any Sudbury Public Schools related Town Meeting 2024 Warrants
- Conduct the Superintendent's Mid-Cycle Goals Progress Report as part of the Superintendent Evaluation process
- METCO presentation to School Committee
- Planning for Tri-District Meeting with the School Committees from Lincoln-Sudbury Regional High School and Lincoln Public Schools
- Continue to monitor and update District policies

SCHOOL COMMITTEE SPOTLIGHT

Sudbury School Committee Goals

Student Achievement Goal: The School Committee will make data-driven decisions by reviewing assessment and benchmarking data used for monitoring student achievement and growth.

Policy: The Sudbury School Committee will work to ensure all School Committee District policies are up to date and aligned with MASC and Massachusetts General Law.

Capital Planning: In collaboration with the Superintendent, the Sudbury School Committee will make educated data-driven decisions in capital planning for the District.

This work shall be completed by June 30, 2023

CONTACT INFORMATION

Please visit the [Sudbury School Committee Website](#) for contact information and the meeting schedule.